

the centurion

TASTING NOTES

VINTAGE: 2016 VARIETAL: Cinsault ORIGIN OF GRAPES: Stellenbosch

VINTAGE NOTES

Unirrigated dryland bushvines, planted in 1954. These bushvines were selected for its uniqueness and prominent terroir flavours. Vineyards were monitored meticulously by the winemaker, the latter ultimately deciding when the grapes would be harvested.

WINEMAKING

Grapes were fermented in 4,5 tonne open-top fermentors with 4-6 punch-downs daily. 10% of the wines was aged in older 225l French oak barrels, while the rest was kept in stainless steel tanks.

TASTING NOTE

Aromas of cherry, red berry, white pepper and some spicy notes on the nose. Savoury-, spice- and fruit flavours complimented by freshness and subtle oaking on the palate. An irresistible, wellbalanced red wine with bright, ruby-red hues. Total production: 250 cases/1500 bottles.

ANALYSIS

Alc 13.5 % | Residual Sugar 1.9 g/l | TA 5.4 g/l | pH 3.65

WINEMAKER

Wynand Grobler



